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Hisakazu Tanaka et al.

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Art Unit: 1796

For: METHOD FOR PRODUCING CORE-SHELL
TYPE HIGHLY LIQUID ABSORBENT RESIN
PARTICLES

Examiner: E. Eng

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir/Madam:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated December 16, 2009, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows. A Petition for Extension of Time for three (3) months, from March 16, 2010 to, and including, June 16, 2010 is submitted herewith.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on Page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on Page 5 of this paper.